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LATEST NEWS FROM MONTANA.

One of the Fleeing Democratic Senators Arrested.

A Boating Regatta to be Held at Duluth, Minn.

A New Law Point.

By Associated Press.]

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Feb. 7.—The State Supreme Court has granted a writ of error to the United States Supreme Court in the cases of Neebe, Field and Schwab, the Anarchists now in the State Penitentiary, on the claim that the prisoners were deprived of their constitutional rights by not being permitted to be present when the court passed sentence upon them.

This is a point not heretofore decided by the Federal Supreme Court, and if sustained, will not only release these Anarchists, but in effect will say that Spies, Parsons and others hanged were illegally strangled, and will liberate many other prisoners in the Penitentiary.

CHICAGO, Feb. 7.—Leading lawyers are of the opinion that this move can be of no benefit to the imprisoned Anarchists in any case, and may make it worse for them. There is no claim of error in the lower courts, and if the point is sustained by the Federal Supreme Court, it will result in sending Anarchists before the State Supreme Court for a reaffirmation of the original sentence. This was that they be hanged, and they would have to suffer that penalty unless the Governor should again interfere, as did the former Governor, and commute their sentence to imprisonment.

To be Heavily Fined.

By Associated Press.]

HELENA, Feb. 7.—The Senate adopted a resolution requiring all the Senators, including the Democrats who have absented themselves to block legislation, to be present on February 8th and 10th, under penalties ranging from \$50 for the first day's absence to \$1,000 for the sixth.

The Sheriffs throughout the State are also instructed to arrest the absentees.

Senator Breckley of Damson county has already been placed under arrest at Glendale.

Lawlessness in Oklahoma.

By Associated Press.]

OKLAHOMA CITY, Ind. T., Feb. 6.—Late last night a large crowd of indignant citizens pulled down the house of a lot-jumper on Main street and burned the wreck. There is intense excitement, and if the military do not interfere, blood is sure to be shed. Two serious fights occurred, yesterday over disputed lots, and an organization has been formed to pull down every lot-jumper's house in the city. The streets swarmed with excited people last night.

The Dead Coal Miners.

By Cable and Associated Press.]

LONDON, Feb. 7.—The work of removing the bodies of the miners who lost their lives by the explosion in the colliery at Abersychan yesterday is being carried on as rapidly as is consistent with safety. Already a hundred and fifty bodies have been taken from the pit, and it is believed the total killed will reach 190.

A Bold Robbery.

By Cable and Associated Press.]

VIENNA, Feb. 6.—A daring robbery has been perpetrated in this city. The thieves entered the office of a navigation company, and, walking up to the desk of the cashier, entered into conversation with him. Suddenly one of the men threw a quantity of pepper into the cashier's eyes, temporarily blinding him. They then seized upon a quantity of money that was lying upon the cashier's desk and made their escape.

An International Regatta.

By Associated Press.]

DULUTH, Minn., Feb. 7.—An announcement is made by Edward Hanlan of the Duluth Boat Club of the completed arrangements for an international boat racing regatta to be held at Duluth in August, at which time \$10,000 in cash prizes will be distributed. Many noted oarsmen will be in attendance.

ROUGHLY HANDLED.

By Associated Press.]

WICHITA, Kan., Feb. 6.—J. B. Armstrong, cashier of the Summer County Bank at Conway Springs, 30 miles southeast of here, was attacked yesterday afternoon by a mob of 100 men, and came near being lynched. He was connected with a sugar mill, and the company had promised the farmers certain prices for cane and the employees in the factory certain wages. The farmers claim that \$28,000 is yet due them, while the employees claim \$9,000 overdue wages. Armstrong, in addition to being a member of the company failing to fulfill its contracts, was the leading guarantor. Yesterday at 2 o'clock a crowd collected. Armstrong was picked up and thrown into the middle of the street, where everybody who could reach him gave him a kick. It was proposed to hang him to a tree near by. Armstrong's injuries will probably prove fatal.

The Storm on the C. & O. R. R.

By Associated Press.]

MONTAGUE, Cal. Feb. 6.—No mails have reached this place from either the north or the south since January 14th, and none are expected in the near future. Nearly four inches of water fell during the late storm, making a total rainfall for the season of 17.68-100 inches. No storm has equalled this since this part of the country was settled. The streams were never so high. There are many washouts on the railroad through Shasta valley. Three bridges across the Shasta river are known to be gone.

Lost Her Propeller.

By Associated Press.]

BOSTON, Feb. 7.—The steamer Iowa, from Liverpool, reports that on January 31st she signalled the steamer Persian Monarch, from London for New York. The latter vessel had lost her propeller, and was under sail, heading east. The Iowa offered assistance, but it was declined.

Eastern Snowstorm.

By Associated Press.]

CHICAGO, Feb. 7.—Snow has been falling all day.

In Western Pennsylvania there is a heavy snow and fierce winds.

In Minnesota the worst blizzard in many years is raging. The thermometer is 10° below zero and falling.

Supposed to be Lost.

By Associated Press.]

PROVIDENCE, Feb. 7.—The schooner Minnehaha, loaded with crude oil, with a Captain and six men, is supposed to be lost. Some of the cargo was picked up at sea.

A Serious Charge.

By Cable and Associated Press.]

PARIS, Feb. 7.—A dispatch to La France from Obock, states that the Somali, instigated by the English, attacked and massacred a French caravan enroute to Harrar.

New York Becoming Anxious.

By Associated Press.]

ALBANY, N. Y., Feb. 7.—Governor Hill this afternoon sent a special message to the Legislature, urging it to pass the World's Fair bill at once without amendment.

Pig Iron Market.

By Cable and Associated Press.]

GLASGOW, Feb. 7.—There was a collapse in the pig iron market, owing to the temporary suspension of M. S. Willis, a prominent broker.

Congressman Randall Better.

By Associated Press.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 7.—Randall passed a comfortable night, and is better this morning than for some time.

Death of a Cuban Official.

By Cable and Associated Press.]

HAVANA, Feb. 7.—General Salamanier, Captain-General of Cuba, died last evening.

LOW RATES OF INTEREST.

Fear Per Cent Being Entirely Satisfactory.

The New York Tribune says: "We noticed the fact recently that the controller of New York sold \$12,000,000 of bonds over par, having thirty years to run and paying the remarkably low rate of interest of 2½ per cent per annum. On this basis \$100,000 invested would get the buyer only \$2,500 a year. It is currently reported around the Amsterdam Club that when the czar of Russia, who has been trying to borrow money in all the markets in the world, with the Empire at his back, heard of this loan and low rate of interest, it made his mouth water. In olden times \$100,000 investment in New York improved really was expected to bring a net return of at least \$7,000 per annum, whereas we now find the fact existing that the rate of interest has become so low that money investors are perfectly contented to get a net income of \$4,000 a year, over the above taxes, assessments, etc. on investment of \$100,000."

Liver on the Free List.

The Nebraska Times says: With fat cows selling at the enormous price of 1½ to 2 cents a pound gross and beefsteak only bringing 12½ to 15 cents a pound our butchers can't afford to advertise. But, thank God, liver is still on the free list, and as long as such is the case editors will live, and the morals and intelligence of the community will be carefully guarded. Give us this day our daily liver.

CONGRESSIONAL.

Senator Edmonds Gets on His Ear.

A SIBERIAN EXILE MASSACRE.

To Be Brought Before the Prison Congress.

A Gigantic Labor Alliance To Be Formed.

Massacre of Siberian Exiles.

By Associated Press.]

CHICAGO, Feb. 7.—George Kennan has given the Associated Press a resume of a voluminous correspondence lately received by him relating to the massacre of the Russian administrative exiles at Yakutsk on April 8th last, the occurrence of which has hitherto been strenuously denied by the Russian Government. One of these letters, written by a survivor of the affair, is sixty pages in length and sets forth with great exactness of detail, every particular of the massacre and the events leading up to and immediately preceding and succeeding it. Kennan declared the communication to be of a most impartial character and even unimpassioned in tone, and said they were to be thoroughly relied on, but he withheld the names of the correspondents, as a publication of their names would involve them in trouble with the Russian Administration. The story of Kennan's correspondent agrees in many particulars with the account published in the London Times, but gives in addition, many details hitherto unknown, and the language of the writer is at the same time most graphic.

"I consider this information received from Russia," said Kennan, "so minute and circumstantial in every detail, and knowing the reliability of its source, to be a complete and conclusive answer to the recent denials of the Russian Government."

William Tallert, President of the great Howard Association of England, says every effort will be made to bring this matter before the International Prison Congress, which will meet in St. Petersburg. If the Russian Government will permit and is ready to meet the issue, I will undertake to prove before the prison congress every charge that I have arrayed against it in my articles published in the Century, or which have otherwise been brought forward by me in substantiation of these charges; to bring my witnesses in from Siberia and to defray the whole expense of such proceedings.

Congressional Matters.

By Associated Press.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 7.—After prayer the Speaker stated the journal clerk had been busy in preparing the new code of rules for publication, and that consequently the journal of yesterday's proceedings was not ready to be presented to the House, but would be ready subsequently. Therefore the usual contest over the approval of the journal did not take place.

The House Committee on the ballot box forgery resumed its investigation this morning by calling to the stand James E. Neal, who was Chairman of the State Democratic Executive Committee. McLean, proprietor of the Cincinnati Enquirer, and J. C. Campbell, brother of Governor Campbell, were also examined, without developing anything of special interest. McLean said he never saw the forged paper till to-day and was never interested in the ballot box bill.

The House Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries continued its hearings on the bill to grant subsidies to American shippers. James G. Montgomery of Portland, Or., made a statement in favor of the payment of the subsidy. He said the amount of foreign commerce on the Pacific Coast was very large and was growing constantly, and that every ton was exported in British bottoms.

The House Committee on Elections this morning heard arguments in the Bowen-Buchanan contest from the Ninth District of Virginia.

The House transacted only routine business and adjourned till Monday.

Will Soon Resume Business.

By Associated Press.]

New York, Feb. 7.—The following notice was on the door of the Lenox Hill Bank this morning: "To Depositors: Your affairs are in such a shape that the bank will probably open to-day. Covell, Examiner."

Covell said this morning that he had in his possession \$398,000 of the cancelled liabilities.

Conrad Jordan was elected President of the Lenox Hill Bank this afternoon, and it is to be reopened.

Senator Edmonds Angered.

By Associated Press.]

CHICAGO, Feb. 7.—A special from Washington says that Senator Edmonds caused a sensation in the Executive session yesterday. He charged John Sherman with bad faith, and made his charge the grounds for resigning from the Foreign Affairs Committee. On Tuesday, after the treaty had been ratified, Edmonds put in a resolution declaring that under it none of the rights of the United States under the treaty of 1878, which gave the United States a coaling station at Pago Pago, were impaired, which was argued at length and rejected. This angered Edmonds, who claimed it had been agreed in committee that if Edmonds would not oppose the ratification of the treaty his resolution should be passed. He brought the matter up in executive session, and charged Sherman with trickery in the matter. Sherman replied that it was agreed in committee that Edmonds might present the resolution, but that it was not agreed that it should be adopted. Sherman was corroborated by Frye and other members of the committee. The Senate refused to reconsider the ratification of the treaty, and Edmonds tendered his resignation as a member of the committee. His resignation was declared out of order in executive session, and Edmonds left the chamber in anger.

A Labor Financial Alliance.

By Associated Press.]

BOSTON, Feb. 7.—A morning paper says, on the apparent authority of the leaders of the movement, that there will be organized previous to the eight-hour movement of May 1st a gigantic labor financial alliance with the ranks of the American Federation of Labor. It is proposed to accumulate a joint stock fund of at least \$200,000 before May 30th, to be placed at the disposal of any trade whose craftsmen are on a strike or lockout.

Delayed Mail and Passengers.

By Associated Press.]

PORTLAND, Feb. 7.—Fourteen hundred sacks of delayed eastern mail and a large number of passengers arrived here by boat from The Dalles last evening, transferred from the Union Pacific train.

Will Not Resign.

By Associated Press.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 7.—General I. S. Catlin, brother-in-law of Secretary Tracy, says the latter will not resign as the result of his recent bereavement, but will continue in office.

Bar silver, 98½¢.

Compromised on Cabbage.

Colonel Bob Ingersoll says that Harrison's Administration reminds him of a married couple who quarreled about their Christmas dinner. The husband wanted turkey, while the wife demanded duck, so they compromised on cabbage. The Winham bill would be about the same kind of a compromise between the goldites and silver men.

Badly Mixed.

The people of Los Angeles are in a dilemma concerning the legality of the charter under which it is working and the acts of its Police Judges, the Supreme Court having just decided that the Police Courts of that city are illegal and have no jurisdiction as committing magistrates.

Shrewdly Managed.

At Carbondale, Penn., the other day, a shrewd young Lothario required his best girl's parents to attend in court to show cause why they should not release her from restraint, and then, during the legal proceedings, quietly slipped out of court and married her.

Of Interest to Glendale.

The President of the New York Museum of Natural History is soon to award \$200 for the best method of breeding insects which prey upon and destroy the mosquito. There are a great many contestants for the prize.

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DIED.

FITZGERALD—In San Francisco, February 5, 1890, Mary Ann, daughter of Andrew and Mary Ann Fitzgerald, a native of Virginia City, Nevada, aged 17 years.

TURNER—In Reno, Nev., February 7, 1890, A. G. Turner, a native of Louisiana, aged 59 years.

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Friday, February 7, 1890

5 O'CLOCK EDITION.

Irrigable Lands.

The San Francisco Examiner contains the following editorial on the move of the Nevada State Board of Trade in asking Congress to cede all the Government land within our borders to the State:

The Nevada State Board of Trade has decided to ask Congress to cede to Nevada all the Government lands within the State "to the end that Nevada may enter upon storage and irrigation enterprises for their reclamation."

It is much to be doubted if such a step can be of any advantage in solving the irrigation problem. The experiment of turning public lands over to the State has not been a happy one, and the proposed experiment is not likely to prove more so. The States are rarely able or willing to carry out such work as would be demanded for irrigating Nevada for instance. The States turn such burdens over to individuals and in dealing with individuals the State is pretty sure to be cheated. The result is likely to be that the lands will go into large corporations and the general public will be left out.

The irrigation of the land lands of the west should not lead to any renewal of the land grant methods. The land should be given to actual settlers in small quantities. It should be made to private homes for those who are ready to cultivate it.

Work of the kind and extent necessary to put the arid lands in condition for farming of moderate sized farms will not be undertaken by the States. They are too poor to undertake the work of carrying them through. There is probably no State Government that could do the work even if they had the money. The influence of small politics in doing little work at much cost is greater with them than with the Federal Government.

Before any such radical step as turning the arid lands over to the State is taken, it should be learned what the extent of the lands and the possibilities and costs of reclaiming them. When the work to be done and the means and expense of doing it are determined it will be less difficult to decide upon the best method of reaching the desired end. The object in bringing water to the irrigable lands is to make them capable of supporting a population, to turn them over in moderate sized farms to private owners, and to put the irrigation work thereafter in the hands of the community affected by them. How these ends may best be reached can be better considered when the amount of work to be done is fully known.

Nevada is differently situated from any other State. Her agricultural interests have been sadly neglected and mining has been in the van until Nevada is looked upon as only fit for horn toads and snakes, and talked about only because she has been a great bullion producer. While her sulphur, salt and borax fields have contributed largely to the wealth of the world, her fruits, grain and potatoes are known only to the few, but she is still in her infancy in an agricultural point of view. She possesses land enough to support a million of people, and with a proper storage system, water enough to irrigate it. What is now desert could be made the richest farming land in the Union, and every 40 or 80 acres would not only support a family, but would be a source of profit to any one cultivating them. Other States have had ceded to them swamp and overflowed lands, and we can see but this difference between swamp and overflowed and desert lands: one is to get rid of the surplus water and the other to get water to irrigate.

The Examiner says the experiment of turning public lands over to the State has not proven a happy one, but fails to point out a single instance.

The General Government can not hope to derive much more benefit from the sales of its lands in Nevada unless it does something towards reclaiming them, and if the State is willing to shoulder the burden we can see no objection to giving her a trial. Laws could, and would, no doubt, be enacted protecting such lands, so that there would be no danger of their falling into the hands of speculators. In fact, we believe that it will be the policy of the large landholders in this State to divide up their tracts in small lots and invite immigration, for they have found it unprofitable to "farm" such large bodies. The profit all goes for hired help, and when the balance sheets are made up at the end of the year, there is but a small balance, if, indeed, anything is left for the owner.

The recent decision of the United States Supreme Court upon the constitutionality of the test oath required of Mormons by the Idaho law was rendered in a habeas corpus case. Samuel D. Davis, an Idaho Mormon, took what is known as the Edmunds

Tucker test oath, which requires intending voters to swear that they are not members of any order which teaches, advises or encourages polygamy, or which practices polygamy as a doctrine. He was convicted of conspiring to unlawfully defeat the election law of the Territory, and sued out a writ of habeas corpus, which was brought to the Supreme Court on the refusal of the lower Court to grant the writ.

The Bulletin says it is worthy of note that this decision not only settles a most important point of law in dealing with the Mormon problem, or any like question which may arise in the future, but also has an important political bearing. These Idaho Mormons masquerade as Democrats, and would be numerous enough to determine the political complexion of the Territory and prospective State but for the effect of this decision.

The silk manufacturers of New York and New Jersey are to be congratulated on the speedy justice done them by the House in reversing the duty of fifty per cent. on silk ribbons. Major McKinley reported the bill favorably from the Ways and Means Committee and requested that it be placed upon its final passage at once. He demonstrated how unjust the act of 1883 had proved in reducing the tariff on ribbons used in the trimming of hats to twenty per cent. Mr. Carlisle coincided, and stated that in his opinion there had been an error in the act of 1883 in placing the duty on ribbons at twenty per cent, whereas the intention has been to impose fifty per cent. The Ways and Means Committee had made a unanimous report in favor of the change, and the bill was approved without a dissenting vote. The bill was transmitted to the Senate at once, and will doubtless be approved there.

By the census of 1880 Illinois produced manufactures to the value of \$16,534,272. At the census of 1880 these figures had advanced to \$37,880,886. According to the census of 1870, the manufactures had augmented to \$308,610,672. In the census of 1880 the manufactures of Illinois had risen to \$414,864,672, and the figures for 1890 will probably eclipse all former proportions, thus showing what protection has done and is doing for the Garden State.

AMONG THE PERUVIANS.

The South American Nation Described by a Wisconsin Girl.

When Hon. John Hicks was appointed United States Minister to Peru he chose as Secretary of Legation a bright American girl, Miss Elizabeth L. Banks. Since being domiciled in Lima, the capital of Peru, Miss Banks has kept her eyes open, and with instinct sharpened by her connection with various Northwestern newspapers, she has proved a good news-gatherer. Writing to a friend in this city, Miss Banks says: "Procrastination is the ruling habit of Peru. Ask a Peruvian when he will do any thing and he replies 'Manana,' which being translated means 'to-morrow.' Nothing is ever done to-day, all things take place on the 'manana,' which never comes. This 'manana' habit is, I suppose, breathed in with every breath of the air that one takes in Peru; and I am afraid I have drawn a good deal of it into my system.

"This is a very interesting old city, and yet the people and the government are very much behind the times, their ideas being those of one hundred years ago. The city of Lima has been called 'the heaven of women, the purgatory of men and the hell of asses'; and to the last proposition I will heartily assent. The city is full of donkeys, and the men and women who drive and ride them always carry a big chunk of wood with them, which they continually apply to the ribs of the poor animals. Some enthusiastic writer has called the women of Lima the most beautiful in the world. There are some pretty Peruvian girls to be met on the streets or saying their beads in some of the many churches. Their dark eyes are the kind that would make a man jump off Pizarro's bridge into the river Rimac if his suit happened to go wrong. The Peruvian men pay a great deal of attention to their personal appearance, and pass away much of their time in dress suits and tooth-pick shoes. They are very gallant, but are not half so nice as American men from any point of view.—Washington Capital.

Dickens' Letter to His Sons. Here is a letter from Dickens, addressed to his younger sons on their leaving home, one for Cambridge, the other for Australia, in which the father's heart and the deeper side of his nature reveal themselves: "You will remember," he says to both, "that you have never at home been wearied about religious observances or mere formalities. You will therefore understand the better that I now most solemnly impress upon you the truth and beauty of the Christian religion, as it comes from Christ Himself, and the impossibility of your going far wrong if you humbly but heartily respect it. Similarly I impress upon you the habit of saying a Christian prayer both night and morning. 'These things have stood by me through my life, and remember that I tried to render the New Testament intelligible to you and lovable to you when you were mere babes. And so God bless you. Ever your affectionate father.'—Literary World.

A citizen of Wallsville, O., now seventy-four years old, boasts that he has never paid a cent to lawyer, doctor or minister.

PULMONARY DISORDERS.

Out-Door Air and Exercise the Best Remedies for Consumption.

In the course of the last fifty years a number of observant physicians have evinced a more and more outspoken conviction that pulmonary disorders make no exception to the general rule that all diseases become more curable in cold weather. Three generations ago asthma troubles, almost without an exception, were ascribed to the influence of cold air—a delusion perpetuated by the still sadly misleading word 'cold' as a synonym of catarrh, and in the yet quite obsolete fashion of sending consumptives to an early grave in the sultry coast regions of the tropics. Cold night air, 'draughts' and 'raw March winds' had to come the bane of lung-sick persons. A disease due to a low temperature seemed naturally to demand warmth for its cure, and patients who could not afford the expense of a journey to Florida or the West Indies were kept penned up in the stifling atmosphere of an overheated sick-room, with every breath of fresh air carefully excluded.

Those delusions were first shaken by the result of comparative statistics. The mortality records of every civilized country east, west, north or south demonstrated the suggestive fact that the prevalence of consumption bears an exact proportion to the prevalence of indoor occupations. In pastoral Norway pulmonary disorders were found to be less frequent than in cotton-spinning England; in frosty Switzerland less frequent than in sunny France. The unanimous reports of Arctic travelers established the still more remarkable circumstance that in the polar regions lung diseases are almost wholly unknown, 'due to a diet of train oil,' argued the old-school doctors. 'Let us try that specific.' And the cod-liver-oil nuisance was added to other sorrows of afflicted mankind. Kohl, Fother and Smith and other explorers of the North American inland regions, in the meanwhile noticed that the hunting tribes of our frozen Northwestern prairies share the privilege of weather-proof lungs at a distance of 2,000 miles from the next train-oil kettle; while the reports of the Naples hospitals proved that the development of factory towns had made consumption extremely prevalent in the more than half-tropical coast district of Southern Italy.

At the same time experience had left no doubt that a change from in-door to out-door occupations could, in four out of five cases, be relied upon to avert the doom of hereditary consumption. The sickly wives of Silesian weavers recovered from malignant lung disorders after the removal of their households to the backwoods of the Tennessee valley; hollow-cheeked mechanics, worn out with hectic coughs, became athletes by adopting an outdoor mode of life; five sons descended from an ancestry of consumptives, four died in city workshops before the completion of their fifteenth year, while the fifth on his mountain farm outlived his nephews and grand-nephews. Consumption was gradually recognized to be a house disease.

It is true that the theory of the old-school party is apparently supported by the circumstances that lung disorders become more frequent after the end of October, and subside about the middle of May; but should that phenomenon be wholly unconnected with the fact that winter is, by excellence, the season of in-door life? Savages, who spend their winters out-doors, and trappers in their draughty winter camps in the gully of a Western sierra, know catarrhs only from hearsay, and we have seen that the natives of the arctic regions share that immunity in spite of their ill-ventilated hovels, which may keep out snow-flakes, but can not counteract the penetrative force of a polar winter storm.

These facts suggest considerable modifications in the conventional method of treating catarrhs and other disorders of the respiratory organs. They have already led to the practical establishment of the truth that cold pure air, rather than warm foul air, is nature's specific for the elimination of lung microbes, and scores of consumptives are actually cured by their removal from the sultry lowlands of the Mississippi valley to the frosty highland regions of the Adirondacks. For the same reason Dr. Lewis advised his lung-sick patients to take an extra dose of out-door air in mid-winter, and it would not be a bad plan to utilize the coldest and driest breezes of every winter for disinfectant purposes. Just as the owners of a new family residence celebrate a 'house-warming,' old tenements should be treated to an occasional house-freezing.—Dr. T. L. Oswald, in Harper's Bazar.

Amusing and Characteristic. A friend who has just returned from Paris tells me an amusing and characteristic anecdote. During the recent exposition there was a little railroad, five miles in length, running around the grounds. The tracks ran in and out among the houses and buildings, and so near them that a passenger's head or arm thrust out of the window was in danger of being knocked off. To prevent accidents of this sort warnings were printed on large posters and tacked up at intervals of a few yards along the entire track. They were printed in almost every known language, including Asiatic and African tongues, shorthand and Volapuk. My friend counted over thirty languages and dialects. You would have supposed that none was omitted in such a list. But there was one omission, and of a very important one. Not a single word of warning was printed in German! Some one said to the manager of the road: 'It looks to me as though you didn't care whether the Germans got their heads and arms knocked off or not.' He smiled quietly, and replied: 'It does look that way, sure enough.'—Critic.

The United Brethren church of 'Falmouth, near Lancaster, Pa., last night directly on the ground without a star, and in the floor just in front of the pulpit a knot hole, through which a small spicewood tree has grown to the height of three feet. It is full of green leaves and thrives without any attention. The members of the congregation chanted it 'The Tree of Life,' and will not allow it to be removed.

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H. F. COOK, M. D., Professor of Theory and Practice, Hahnemann Medical College.

I hereby certify that I have examined a work entitled "Our Family Physician," and find it to be correct in its diagnosis, and in my opinion, worthy of the confidence of the public. H. S. HANN, M.D.

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J. F. COOK, M. D., Professor in Burnett's Medical College, Chicago.

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TIME TABLES.

The following tables give the time of arrival and departure of passenger trains at Reno:

ARRIVE	TRAIN	DEPART
7:15 a. m.	No. 1, Eastbound Ex.	7:45 a. m.
10:05 a. m.	No. 3, Eastbound Ex.	10:30 a. m.
9:20 a. m.	No. 2, Westbound Ex.	9:45 a. m.
5:35 p. m.	No. 4, Westbound Ex.	6:00 p. m.
	V. & T.	
9:00 p. m.	No. 1, Virginia Ex.	10:20 a. m.
	No. 2, S. F. Express	
11:40 a. m.	No. 3, Local Passenger	11:45 p. m.
	N. & C.	
	Express and Freight	7:45 a. m.
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Time of Arrival and Departure of Mails at Reno.

MAIL FOR	CLOSING	ARRIVING
San Francisco and Sacramento (via Truckee and Oregon)	8:00	10:00
Ter. British Columbia	8:00	10:00
Truckee, Cal. Lak Tahoe	8:00	10:00
Eastern Nev. and States	9:30	10:00
Virginia, Carson, Glenbrook & Southern Nev	9:30	10:00
Monro, Inyo, and Adams counties, Cal.	9:30	10:00
Susannah, Cedarville, Quincy and points No	7:30	6:00
Bullfro Meadows (every Tuesday)	7:30	6:00
Douglas, Lyon, Elko, and Nye counties, Nev	7:30	6:00

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No Evidence of Poison.

The Chinese at Borden, Fresno county Cal., have been greatly excited since the death of Man Wah Chan, the wealthy Chinaman, and the subsequent death of his widow, which is said to have resulted from grief at the loss of her husband. A brother of Chan will inherit the property, and that fact has led to the circulation of stories that the widow has been poisoned. An autopsy showed no evidence of poison.

USEFUL INFORMATION.

Tilbury Fox, M. D., the eminent medical writer, in his work "Skin Diseases," thus accounts for the pimples so common to the face and neck. Eating too rich or too greasy food, or too hearty eating while the excretory organs are sluggish, causes in most people indigestion or a dyspepsial condition, which causes the blood to move sluggishly, and enfeebles the pores. The result is, that the excretory secretions block in the pores, which induce each distinct inflammation being a pimple. Dr. Fox therefore does not prescribe "blood purifiers" so called, but a "dyspepsia cure" to be taken, to use his own words "till the dyspepsial symptoms have disappeared." The old idea was, that face eruptions were caused by a humor in the blood, for which they treated the blood, giving the mineral, potash. Joy's Vegetable Sarsaparilla follows the modern ideas of Dr. Fox, and aims with gentle vegetable alteratives at the stomach and digestive organs. The reason is apparent why it cures dyspepsia and indigestion, and the pimples and skin eruptions which result therefrom, and why sarsaparilla takes the mineral fall.

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CARSON CORRESPONDENT.

Some Facts, Some Chaff and Some Gossip from the Capital City.
EDITOR GAZETTE: Carson has come out from under the snow in good shape and looks quite charming these spring-like mornings; the grass in many of the yards has started up and begins to look green, and reminds one that the busy season is about upon us. The people are anticipating a prosperous year; there will be no dearth of water for agricultural purposes up the valley after giving the mills on the river all they will require to run them to their fullest capacity. The wood and lumber business will be prosecuted with renewed vigor. So, take it all in all, and Carson will be a lively town this year.

THE POLITICAL POT.

Bubbles up occasionally, which shows that the would-be office-holder is on deck. Hon. T. B. Ricker seems to be making a vigorous canvass to ascertain how he will stand when it comes time to nominate a Governor, and has many friends. Hon. Evan Williams seems to be out of the fight, at least for the present. There is an effort being made to induce Francis G. Newlands to enter the ring, but your correspondent very much doubts whether he will allow his name to be used before the convention. Governor C. C. Stevenson, it is said, would like the nomination again, but the people are not at all anxious and will most likely reject him to the shades of private life. With the exception of State Treasurer Tully every man about the Capital is a candidate for further honors. State Controller Halleck would like the office again if the people want him, and if not, he will take up a residence in New York and enter the insurance business. Secretary of State Dornier likes public life and wants more of it, but the general John will have to be up and doing if he gets there. Surveyor-General Jones has made an excellent officer and deserves another term. Attorney-General Alexander has served the State well and stands ready to cross swords with all comers. Judge Hawley's term on the Supreme Bench expires next year and he will be a candidate for re-election, and why not? He has made an excellent Judge and deserves consideration. Frank McCullough Warden at the prison, is a candidate and will "down" all competitors. From present indications there will be plenty of good timber to select from and if we don't get good officers it will be the fault of the people.

SOCIETY NOTES.

Carson has been unusually jolly this winter and has kept up her social reputation. The formation of the O. N. O. Club will add much to the gaiety of the season. The club gives its next party a week from to-day, Friday, and has invited the Young Ladies' Club of Reno to join them in the giddy german on that night.

THE SICK.

Never before in the history of the city has there been so much sickness as during the present winter. Nearly everyone has been down with la grippe, pneumonia or a bad cold, and the M. Ds. have been kept busy waiting upon the sick. Hon. S. C. Wright, Superintendent of the Mint, is still confined to his room and has had a very serious time. He is better now and will undoubtedly pull out all right.

RUINED BY DRINK.

An Ex-Conductor Takes His Own Life.

The Winnemucca Silver State of the 6th inst. says: E. M. Bennett was found dead in bed at the county hospital at 5 o'clock this morning. His throat had been cut with a razor, the jugular vein and wind pipe being severed. A razor was found by his side and a vessel by the side of the bed was partially filled with blood. He evidently placed the vessel in a position to catch the blood before drawing the razor across his throat. Dr. Hanson, the hospital physician, says he evidently died without a struggle, as the position and appearance of the body indicated that he suffered no pain. Once or twice before he threatened to commit suicide and on one occasion was prevented from carrying his threat into execution by a friend, who took a pistol away from him.

Tod Bennett, as he was generally called, was a railroad man about 50 years of age. He acquired habits of intemperance and was discharged from the position of conductor some months ago for that reason. He returned to Winnemucca five or six weeks ago and had been in the hospital about three weeks. He leaves a widow, but no children.

PERSONAL.

Phillip Duffy was in Reno yesterday. State Senator Torre of Eureka was in town today.

Miss Emma Dean returned to California on last evening's express.

Daniel Kelley, boss blacksmith of the V. & T. shops in Carson, is visiting Reno friends.

Captain C. A. Bragg and wife and R. L. Fulton and son returned this morning from an extended visit to San Francisco. Mrs. Fulton and baby will return later.

R. R. Parkinson of the Carson Tribune writes that paper from San Francisco, where he has been for several months, that he has been laid up for three weeks with la grippe.

H. M. Yerington and wife, who for the past few months have been visiting in the East, returned this morning, and were met by D. A. Bender and wife, E. B. and Hume Yerington and wives and Alex Ardery, who came down from Carson this morning on a special train.

San Francisco Meat Market.
Following are the rates for whole carcasses from slaughtermen to dealers:

BEEF—First quality, 6 1/2¢; second quality, 6¢; third quality, 5 1/2¢; 9 lb. VEAL—Quotable at 9 1/2¢ for large and 8 1/2¢ for small.

MUTTON—Quotable at 7 1/2¢ 9 lb. LAMB—Quotable at 8 1/2¢ 9 lb.; do, Spring, 15¢ 9 lb.

PORK—Live hogs, on foot, grain fed, medium, 5 1/2¢; heavy, 4 1/2¢; light, 4 1/2¢; dressed hogs, 7 1/2¢ 9 lb.

BREVITIES.

Local and General Intelligence.
The Verdi mill is running night and day.
The streets are still in a muddy condition.

The ground about the University is getting quite dry.

The water in the pipes has rather a bilious complexion.

Hog cholera has been very destructive to those animals in Butte county, Cal.

Infant burglars to the number of a dozen are now awaiting trial in New York.

Women are finding a new employment in serving legal papers in New York.

The N. C. O. is said to have had a washout in the vicinity of Doyle, Long valley.

Fish are reported scarce in Florida waters, where they have been usually plentiful.

Ripe strawberries have been selling for fifteen cents a quart at Santa Barbara, Cal.

There was a slight earthquake at San Diego and Santa Ana, Cal., last Wednesday.

The Gazette office would like to get Nos. 96, 97, 99 and 100, volume xxviii, of the daily.

A party of capitalists from Dallas, Texas, are examining the cable-car system of Los Angeles.

The N. C. O. express came in from Leguan this forenoon, the blockade having been finally raised.

The Silver State says the stock losses on the Humboldt river below Winnemucca will not exceed 10 per cent.

Four candidates are working to secure the prize of Sheriff of Colusa county, Cal. The office pays \$10,000 a year.

For the best brands of tobacco and both imported and domestic cigars patronize Marcus Fredrick's Commercial Row stand.

Remember, where "Our Family Physician" is sent through the mails, twenty cents must accompany the order for postage.

In the show-window of E. C. Northrop can be seen some of the goods he is selling at cost. It will repay any lady to make an examination of all his goods.

The Sentinel says that, with the exception of that along the line of the E. & P. Railroad, all the wood set by the Federal Government in Eureka county has been released.

The Arns palace horse-car, which is to take Theodore Winters' runners to the East, is well padded and neatly arranged to carry sixteen horses without any danger of bruising them.

If you have catarrh, you are in danger, as the disease is liable to become chronic and affect the general health, or develop into consumption. Hood's Sarsaparilla cures catarrh by purifying and enriching the blood and building up the system. Give it a trial.

Lives of poor men oft remind us honest toil don't stand a chance; more we work we leave behind us bigger patches on our pants. On our pants, once new and glossy, there are patches of different hue; all because subscribers linger and won't pay up what is due. Then let all be up and doing; send in your mite, be it so small, or when the snows of winter strike us, we shall have no pants at all, says a rural paper.

The Shotgun Route.
The Carson Tribune says: Tom Vollem, eldest son of Pete Vollem, a rancher in Diamond Valley, Alpine county, Cal., committed suicide on Monday last by blowing the top of his head off with a shotgun. It appears that during a recent cold snap deceased froze his feet, and not having proper medical attention, he suffered intense pain and his limbs became greatly swollen. It is presumed that the young man became disheartened and discouraged, and resolved to put an end to his suffering by shooting himself. He was twenty-four years of age and generally respected by the residents of the Valley.

Royal Arch Masons.
The following officers were installed last night by Reno Chapter, No. 7, R. A. M.: F. J. Winchell, M. E. H. P.; G. H. Fogge, K.; G. H. Cunningham, S.; H. P. Kraus, T.; W. L. Bechtel, Secretary; T. K. Hyman, R. A. O.; O. Courtois, G.

Board of Trade Meeting.
There will be a meeting of the Directors of the State Board of Trade to-morrow (Saturday) afternoon at 1:30 o'clock at the room of the First National Bank.

Auction Sale Postponed.
Owing to sickness in my family I will be obliged to postpone my auction sale until further notice, but will continue to sell at private sale at 50 per cent less than any store in the city. C. W. Boozon.

Australian Lady-bugs.
The Arroyo Grande, Cal. Herald says: Last November Mr. Newsom obtained five of the Australian lady-bugs and put them on his lomon trees at the Springs. The other day, while pruning some olive trees, he found seven of the bugs on one tree. They had cleaned the lemon trees and had gone to work on the olive trees. There is no question but that the little fellows do their work thoroughly and will prove a great benefit to fruit-growers.

A Haunted House.
This body of ours has been likened to a tenement. It often has a haunted apartment—the stomach. Scared by the eldritch spite, dyspepsia, digestion files and refuses to return. What can break the spell, what can raise the ban laid upon the unhappy organs? We answer unhesitatingly, Hostetter's Stomach Bitters, and we are warranted in the response by the recorded testimony of myriads, covering a period of over a third of a century. A course of the Bitters, begun in any stage of the affliction, and persistently followed will terminate in cure positive, no partial. The Bitters restores tone to the epigastric nerve, renews and purifies the juices exuding from the cellular tissues that act upon the food digestively; expels bile from the stomach and the blood, and promotes a regular habit of body. Malaria, kidney complaint, nervousness, rheumatism and benedicta give way to this medicine.

Railroad Conductors, ENGINEERS, FIREMEN, BRAKEMEN, GRIPMEN,

AND

All that Ride Continuously

TAKE NOTICE.

It is a well-known fact that nine out of ten of all classes of people whose business calling is railroading, where they ride day in and day out, will sooner or later complain of severe pains in their backs. CAUTION! What does this mean? Ask yourselves the question. We will answer it for you. Your kidneys are fast becoming diseased, and if you neglect them there is one result—CERTAIN DEATH. We have had many cases, and hold testimonials of railroad men that have taken their trouble in time, and by the use of the greatest vegetable remedy that has ever been introduced in the world, viz: THE GREAT SIERRA KIDNEY AND LIVER CURE, have been cured and their kidneys strengthened to such an extent that they can pursue their vocations without fear. This wonderful remedy is becoming daily the most popular of any Kidney and Liver Cure that ever has existed. Give it one trial and you will send us a testimonial to add to our large and fast increasing list. For sale by all druggists.

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NEVADA LAWMAKERS.

Fertile Questions Relative to the School Fund.

The Carson Tribune of recent date contained the following: When the last Legislature called the special election of February 11, 1889, many people believed its main object in doing so was to provide for a remunerative investment of the surplus money in the State School Fund and justified the great expense of the special election on that ground. Others claimed to believe that the organization of a lottery was the principal object.

The people emphatically rejected the lottery amendment and ratified the State School Fund amendment by an overwhelming vote. The latter amendment contains the following: "The Legislature shall provide for the sale of floating land warrants to cover the aforesaid lands and for the investment of all proceeds derived from the above mentioned sources in United States bonds or bonds of this State or bonds of other States of the Union."

Although the Legislature had about twenty days in which to make such provision, it, for some inscrutable reason, failed to do so.

Inasmuch as the people have been compelled to pay over \$19,000 expenses of the special election and have been deprived of \$31,000 interest money lost through the failure of the Legislature to carry the will of the people into effect, it would seem that for that \$50,000, the following questions should be propounded to the members of the fourteenth Legislature:

First—Did you know that the amendment relating to the investment of surplus school funds which you submitted to the people with other amendments with remarkably ready required legislative action on your part to become operative?

Second—If you did know it, why did you not do your duty in providing for the investment in accordance with the expressed will of the people?

Third—Did the defeat of the lottery amendment have anything to do with your failure to do your duty in providing for the State School Fund investment?

E. A. MORRILL & CO.,

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Flour, Grains, Millstuffs,

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And such other goods as are found in a first-class feed store.

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Pleasant Valley Coal.

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Of the Pleasant Valley Coal Company for Reno, and is prepared to supply the demand in any quantity.

Orders left on the slates at the Postoffice A. H. Manning's, Neasey's, Polson & Wells John Belf's Barber shop, will receive prompt attention.

THE GAZETTE has the finest assortment of new, modern job type, rules and ornaments to be found on the coast, and can compete with any office in quality, price, workmanship and promptness.

Reno's Popular Hotel.

THE RIVERSIDE IS OFFERING new attractions to the guests every day.

THE ROOMS are well ventilated and lighted and sunny.

THE BOARD is of the best, both in quality and quantity. The finest meats, fresh and in the market.

THE BAR is second to none on the coast.

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W. R. CHAMBERLAIN, - Manager.

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100 OR MORE ELIGIBLE BUILDING lots for sale at day prices and easy terms, south of the Truckee river, south-east of Reno. Enquire of novagif THOS. R. HAYDON.

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Silk Department.

22-inch black gros-grain silk, 50 cents per yard.
22-inch Faint silk, special, \$1.50 per yard.

Dress Goods.

For the next two weeks we shall offer our entire stock of dress goods at greatly reduced prices.

THE PALACE
Dry Goods and Carpet House!

Great January Cloak Sale!

No need to tell that the weather has not favored Cloak business up to now. The remedy for such ills as a big cloak stock is to sell without reserve, no matter what the sacrifice. The public will get the benefit just at a time when a cloak will be of the most comfort, it will be

A Slaughter Sale of Cloaks in Mid-Winter!

MONDAY MORNING, JANUARY 6th we inaugurate this great sale, and in order to get the first choice we would advise intending purchasers to call early. This is a genuine February cloak sale in January.

Ladies' Cloaks.

3 Checked Astrachan trimmed Newmarkets, former price \$5, January price, \$3.50.
5 Black Diagonal Cloth Newmarkets, former price \$7.50, January price \$5.
5 Black Diagonal Cloth Newmarkets, trimmed in Astrachan, former price \$9, January price \$5.50.
5 Striped Scotch Cloth Newmarkets, former price \$9, January price \$5.50.

Ladies' Sealette Jackets and Wraps.

3 Sealette Jackets quilted satin lining, former price \$15, January price \$12.50.
2 Sealette Modjeska Wraps, quilted satin lining, former price \$20, January price \$16.
Ladies' Jackets sold at uniformly low prices.

Misses' Cloaks.

Here our styles are unlimited. We have the best assorted line in these goods. We offer children Cloaks—ages 4 to 10—at \$2.50, \$3.50, \$5, etc., apiece.

In connection with the above we will offer during the sale,—

20 Dozen Ladies' White Merino Vests and Pants at the low price of 25 cents each.
15 Dozen Misses' all-wool, full-finished Cashmere Hose, in solid colors, at 25 cents a pair.

Respectfully,

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Lumbago is a form of the chronic stage of rheumatism, in the lumbar region of the back, which is readily cured by rubbing the parts freely with St. Jacobs Oil. It is commonly known as:

BACKACHE.

Victoria, Tex., June 22, 1888.
I was in bed two months with backache; suffered about three months. I was cured by St. Jacobs Oil permanently. G. W. JEFFERSON.

AT DRUGGISTS AND DEALERS.
THE CHARLES A. VOGELER CO., Baltimore, Md.

LEGAL.

Publication of Summons.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE State of Nevada, in and for the county of Washoe. The State of Nevada sends to D. S. Hickman, greeting: You are hereby required to appear in an action commenced against you as defendant by Nona S. Hickman as plaintiff, in the District Court of the State of Nevada, in and for the county of Washoe, and answer the complaint therein within ten days after the service on you of this summons (exclusive of the day of service), if served in said county, or twenty days if served out of said county, but which said district, and in all other cases forty days, or judgment by default will be taken against you according to the prayer of the complaint. The said action is brought to recover against you a judgment and decree of divorce on the complaint of the plaintiff herein, in which complaint she alleges that you and her were united in marriage at Reno, in the county of Washoe, State of Nevada, January 27, 1888; that you and plaintiff have not lived or cohabited as husband and wife since about August 20, 1888; that you have not any time since said marriage contributed to her support; that you went away from Reno, Nevada, about the first of November, 1888; that you abandoned plaintiff about August 20th, 1888, and since that time you have not been recognized as your wife; that she charges against you abandonment and failure to support her and failure to provide for her the common necessities of life for more than one year preceding her complaint made and filed, which failure to support and provide for her is not a result of poverty that could not have been avoided by you by ordinary industry. She claims against you the custody of your minor child, on the ground that you are incompetent to care for him or to have dominion over all of his property more fully appear from the complaint which is on file in the office of the Clerk of said Court at Reno, in said county, and to which you are especially referred.

And you are further notified, that if you fail to appear and answer said complaint, the said plaintiff will apply to the Court for the relief demanded and for costs of suit.

In testimony whereof, I, William Webster, have hereunto set my hand this 21st day of January, A. D. 1889.

WILLIAM WEBSTER, Attorney for Plaintiff.

Annual Report.

OF THE NEVADA MINING AND RECLAMATION COMPANY for the year 1888.

Mr. Selden E. Marvin and Edward Young, trustees of the Nevada Mining and Reclamation Company, and representing a majority of the Board of Trustees, an the said Selden E. Marvin being President of said company, and said Edwin Young Secretary and Treasurer thereof, do hereby make the following report, to-wit:

1st. The capital stock of said company is one hundred and fifty thousand dollars.
2d. That the whole of said capital stock has been actually paid in by the issue of stock in payment for the lands, money, rights and property of the company.
3d. That there are no existing debts of the company so far as known.

SELDEN E. MARVIN, [seal]
EDWIN YOUNG, [seal]
STATE OF NEVADA,)
COUNTY OF ALBANY,) ss
Selden E. Marvin being duly sworn, deposes and says he is President of the above mentioned company and one of the Trustees thereof, that he has read the foregoing report subscribed by him, and the same is true to the best of his knowledge and belief.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, January 20, 1889.

WM. F. RATHBONE, Notary Public, Albany Co., N. V.

United States Land Office.

SACRAMENTO CITY, CAL., January 6, 1889.
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT IN compliance with the provisions of the act of Congress of June 3, 1878, entitled an act for the sale of timberland in the State of California, Oregon, Nevada and Washington Territory, Robert L. Fulton, of Reno, county of Washoe, State of Nevada, has this day filed in this office his sworn statement No. 1070, for the purchase of the S½ of NW¼ and N½ of SW¼ of Section No. 8, in Township 37 north, Range No. 17 east, M. D. M., and will offer proof to show that the land sought is more valuable for its timber or stone than for agricultural purposes, and to establish his claim to said land before the Register and Receiver of this office, at Sacramento, Cal., on Tuesday, the first day of April, 1889.

He names as witnesses: J. P. Foulkes of Verdi, P. O. Nevada; T. K. Stewart of Reno, P. O. Nevada; James Mayberry of Reno, P. O. Nevada; P. L. Crockett of Reno, P. O. Nevada.

Any and all persons claiming adversely the above described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before the first day of April, 1889.

SKIDEN HETZEL, Register.

Notice to Creditors.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE State of Nevada, in and for the county of Churchill. In the matter of the estate of M. W. Hoyt, deceased. Notice is hereby given by the undersigned administrator of the estate of M. W. Hoyt, deceased, to the creditors of, and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit them, with the necessary vouchers, within ten months after the first publication of this notice, to the said administrator, at his place of business, about two miles north of Stillwater, and known as "Kaiser's Ranch," in said county of Churchill.

CHARLES KAISER, Administrator of the Estate of M. W. Hoyt, deceased.

Dated at Reno, January 6, 1889.

Notice to Creditors.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO ALL persons having any claim or claims against the estate of Alexander McIntosh, deceased, to present the same to the executor of said estate at the law office of W. Webster, at Reno, in the county of Washoe, State of Nevada, for allowance, together with the proper proofs and vouchers, within ten months from the time the first publication of this notice. All claims and demands not presented for allowance within the time above stated will be forever barred.

Dated January 13th, A. D. 1889.

JAMES J. GRANT, Executor.

Notice to Creditors.

Estate of Edward Dalton, deceased. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO THOSE having claims or demands against the estate of Edward Dalton, deceased, to present the same for allowance, with the proper proofs to the administrator of said estate, W. Webster, at Reno, in the county of Washoe, State of Nevada, within five months from the date of the first publication of this notice.

Dated January 3, 1889.

MARY JANE DALTON, Administrator.

Notice of Dissolution.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE partnership heretofore existing between S. S. Osburn and J. S. Shoemaker has been dissolved by mutual agreement. S. S. Osburn retiring from the business, all debts being authorized to make collections of outstanding bills. Business will be conducted at the old stand, under the firm name of J. S. Shoemaker & Company.

Reno, January 3, 1889.

S. S. OSBURN, J. S. SHOEMAKER.

MOHAMMEDAN POWER.

The Establishment and Extension of Arab Dominion in Africa.

But the problem of Arab dominion is not on the coast at all, but in the interior of Africa. On the coast the European States can make their influence felt, but it extends no further than a narrow strip of land, beyond which barbarism reigns supreme. And here we arrive at one of the most remarkable phenomena of the age in which we live and the planet we inhabit. The aboriginal inhabitants of Central Africa are savages, sunk in heathenism, afflicted by the evils and the weaknesses of savage life, and perhaps inferior in mental and physical vigor to the strong-bred races of mankind. Over them has passed, like a tempest from the east, a horde of men of another and a stronger race, which marks them out for slavery and destruction. The Arab invasion of Africa is characterized in every part to which Europeans have penetrated by desperate valor in arms, by an utter indifference to human life, and above all, by an enthusiastic and fanatical belief in the faith of Islam. They remind us of those ardent followers of the prophet who, in the first ages of Mohammedanism, bore his blood-stained standard and his intolerant creed from Spain to the confines of China, and well-nigh overthrew the faith and civilization of the ancient world. Indeed, if we are not mistaken, they are the same men—the living inheritors of the passions, the valor and the faith of the soldiers of Mohammed. Before the strength of the Christian States they are now compelled reluctantly to bow; but over the unarmed and untutored natives of Africa they are supreme. Accordingly, what we are now witnessing in Africa, since it has been partially opened to our view, is an amazing recrudescence and fermentation of Mohammedan power. On the Congo it is not the native population, but the blood-thirsty Arab slave dealers, who oppose the progress of civilization; the natives ask for protection from these formidable tyrants. On the Nile the fierce Khartoum seat of power and authority over the neighboring tribes, for since the overthrow of the Egyptian government in the south they are masters of the Sudan. The capture of that important position, and the defeat and death of the heroic champion of civilization who perished there, were much greater events than they even seemed to be at the time they occurred, for they established a power, whether it was that of the Mahdi or any other name, which commands the interior and the river.—Edinburgh Review.

ABOUT MOONSTONES.

They Come from India and Are Never Sold by Weight.

"The word 'precious' can not be applied to moonstones," said a well-known dealer in jewelry, "because their marketable value is relatively small at all times, and is still further influenced by the decrees of fashion. For some years past we have had but few calls for moonstones, but about twelve months ago they were restored to popular favor, and will probably continue to be much used for some time to come. The stones come from India, are easily procured, and there is but little waste in cutting. They are almost invariably of a bluish-white tint, the rays of the most perfect stones much resembling moonlight (hence the name), those of a less clear or yellowish hue being of but little value. When carved, the clear transparency of the stone is of course marred, but many of them are so embellished, the man in the moon being a favorite device, and a baby's face surrounded with a cap of pearls or diamonds another."

The moonstone is seldom worn alone by fashionable people, having usually an accompanying setting of diamonds or other precious stones. In response to a question the dealer added: "The largest moonstone I have ever seen was one of oblong shape about one and three-quarters inches in length and three-quarters of an inch in width. This was set to represent a butterfly with partially closed wings of brilliantly-colored stones, and was intended to be worn as a pendant. These stones are not valued by weight as others are, but simply by appearance and size, a perfectly round stone being more desirable than a flatter one and more rare."

As the moonstone is traditionally lucky it is most suitable for souvenirs, parties and anniversary gifts, and from present indications will be much used for favors and wedding presents during the coming gay season.—N. Y. Sun.

KANGAROO HUNTING.

Extensive Utilization of their Hides in the United States.

There are 6,000 kangaroo skins received in Newark, N. J., every week. They are all tanned in one large establishment on Sussex avenue, and are then made into fine shoes. Australia and New Zealand furnish kangaroo hides for the world. The kangaroos are killed in Australia about 300 miles back from the coast, and are shipped from Melbourne, Sydney and Newcastle, in Australia, and from Masterton, in New Zealand. Up to 1860 the kangaroos were killed and eaten in Australia, and their hides were cut into shoe-leathers. But an Englishman named Brown in that year discovered the remarkable character of the leather, and brought several thousand skins to this country. He tried to sell the hides to tanners; but they were shy of the novelty, and he had to sell them at a sacrifice for a book-binder. The book-binder made triangular corner pieces in ledgers and commercial books out of the skins, and so ascertained the good quality of the leather. It was in this way that the larger leather factories were first attracted to kangaroo hide. The skin was found to be very tenacious, and the compactness of the grain prevents its absorbing water, while the solids in blacking meet with an almost impervious substance. It was hard work for years to get the kangaroo skins. It was not until the Newarker, who now tans them, sent agents to Australia three years ago that the demand could be supplied. The characteristic climate of Australia and the pungency of the kangaroo make hunting the hides dangerous. Winter starts in May and ends in December in that country. The rest of the year the heat is intense, the thermometer frequently reaching 140 degrees. Eight men hunt together for

kangaroos. They are called a "spt." When brought to bay the kangaroo jumps like a flash for the hunter's chest and tries to crush it in with his fore feet. To prevent this each man wears across his breast a two or three-inch thick matting. Armed with a spear, with a club attachment at the other end, they ride upon swift horses into a herd. With the agility and equipoise of circus riders they stand erect upon their horses and use their spears and clubs. The kangaroo is able to jump clear over a horse. As the game is bagged it is skinned, and the skin is stretched on the ground and pegged down to prevent shrinkage. The flesh furnishes meat for the camp. Each man places his private mark upon his booty, and when they have 100 skins apiece they return back to civilization. There are twenty varieties of kangaroos, among them the blue, red, Wallaby, black, gray and Forester, the latter furnishing the best leather, as it lives mainly in wooded sections. When the shipping ports are reached the hunters dispose of the skins by auction to the highest bidders and realize about seventy cents a pound. Kangaroo hunters make large profits. One man is known to have cleared \$4,500 free of living expenses in a single year. The tanning of kangaroo skins is confined to men employed by Americans, as other dealers can not afford to pay the high prices for the raw material. The result is that Parisian and London shoe manufacturers buy their stock of kangaroo leather directly from Newark, Greece, Spain, and even Australia itself, receive their supplies from the same. The manufacturer here scents the idea that the original seven-league boots were made from the skin of the great Australian leapers.—Providence (R. I.) Journal.

FAITHFUL UNTO DEATH.

Affecting Story of a Little Newbury Who Lost Ten Dollars.

A business man of Detroit, whose office is on Woodward avenue, relates this singular experience in the Free Press: "I wanted a ten-dollar bill changed, and as I was alone I stepped to the door and called a little newboy whom I had frequently employed to run on errands, and told him to carry it to the nearest store and get it changed. I then went inside and waited. My partner came in and ridiculed me for what I had done. 'You will never see the boy or the change again,' he said.

"I must say his prophecy looked possible when as hours went by the boy did not return; still I trusted him. I could easily believe that he had been run over or made away with than that he had stolen the money.

"I did not change my mind when a week had passed. I did not know where he lived or who his associates were, and no newboy seemed to be missing. The second week was nearly gone when a woman came into my office one day. She was crying.

"Are you Mr. —?" she asked.

"I am, madam. What can I do for you?"

"Then she told me that her little boy was dying; that he had been ill nearly two weeks, and kept constantly calling my name. I went with her and found my missing newboy. As soon as he saw me he began to rave.

"I lost it! I lost it!" was the burden of his cry, but I alone knew what he referred to. He had lost the ten-dollar note, and it had preyed on his mind, causing brain fever. He died in my arms, unconscious that I had trusted him with the very first, and that I would have done any thing to save his life. I have not a doubt that he either lost it or had it snatched from him, and his sensitive nature kept him from telling the truth, and he gave his life up in the struggle."

VERY AGGRAVATING.

Plaint of a Boston Man Who Does Not Understand Female Nature.

A Boston business man, who is something of a crank, met a Globe man yesterday afternoon, and, after exchanging a few words about the result of the elections, said: "Did you ever notice what aggravating creatures women are? I have been singularly afflicted in having one of the worst of them for my wife."

"Why, what's the matter now?" questioned the writer in return.

"Oh (with a sigh), my wife has the life worried out of me with her foolish questions and aggravating remarks. Now, for instance, only the other day I had quietly sneaked upstairs so that I might shave myself without interruption, and had sharpened my razor, fixed my glass in the window, lathered myself and had just commenced operations on my beard, when she came in and said to me: 'What are you shaving for?' Now, it was only the day before that I had dropped a flat-iron on my pet-corn, and then she ventured to ask me if I did not know it was heavy, and what made me drop it on my foot; so you can bet that I was mad clear through. So, when she said: 'Are you shaving, dear?' I turned on her and snapped out: 'No, you fool, I'm not shaving. If you had any eyes you could see that I'm shovelling coal.'"

He sighed as he turned to go up the stairs, and said: "But it's just like a woman, you know, to ask foolish questions like that. I suppose if I were to tumble out of a second-story window and should land on a pointed iron fence my wife would come flying out and with an air of solicitation say: 'Darling, did you hurt yourself?'"

A Girl Mounts Mount Ararat.

Mount Ararat has this autumn, for the first time, been ascended by a young girl. It seems that the forester Mikolosevitch, accompanied by his daughter, who is only seventeen years of age, and by his son, a boy of fourteen, undertook the ascent in the company of three Kurds. The strength of the boy was exhausted when they arrived at the height of 14,000 feet, and the father stopped at the height of 16,750 feet. The young girl and the three Kurds, however, continued the ascent until they reached the top—16,917 feet. There the girl fell from the intense cold, and in the descent was obliged to depend upon the Kurds for support.—London Star.

"A LITTLE NONSENSE."

Honor Among Thieves.—Old Lady—"Sir, you've stolen my daughter's love. Unabashed Calprit—"Well, didn't I return it?"—Time.

Democrat—"This has been a pretty hard year for the Republicans in the United States." Republican—"Yes; but we carried Brazil."—Life.

Casto.—Big Calf (rainily)—"Get out of my way or I'll step on you. You're nobody." Barnyard Fowl (haughtily)—"If you could hear folks grumble when they find veal in chicken salad you'd change your tune."—N. Y. Weekly.

Modern Training.—Mother—"Now you have broken my cup. You deserve a whipping; come here." Fritz—"No, I won't come." Mother—"Come, Fritz, till I whip you, and then you shall have a slice of cake."—Fliegende Blätter.

Hostess—"And so you really believe the moon to be inhabited, professor?" Professor—"Ah, well, I do not say so, but zero is van moon in vich zer muu' is van man." Hostess—"And which might that be, pray?" Professor—"Vy—vat you call it? Ze honeymoon!"

First Widow—"Why, Mrs. Verdant, what do you intend to do with the pall?" Second Widow—"Well, you see, my poor husband requested that his grave be kept green, and as I am about to get married again I thought I would give it a coat of green paint."—Munsey's Weekly.

Native—"Yes, sir, we are to have one of the finest health resorts in the world right here. We have every advantage and invalids from all parts of the world will soon be coming here to be cured." Visitor—"Ah, indeed? What is that famous tract of ground over yonder—several hundred acres I should say?" Native—"That, sir, is to be used as our cemetery."—America.

Small Boy—"Say, pa, I wish you'd get me a bicycle." Old Man—"Can't afford it, my son. Rent too high, coal too dear. Besides, I don't want you to break your neck." Small Boy—"Well, then, a tricycle." Old Man—"Can't do it. But I'll tell you what you can have. When winter comes I'll try and get you a nice long icicle." [The youngster is pacified.]—Grip.

Modern Improvements.—Real-Estate Agent (out West)—"This is the house I told you about." Eastern Man (anxious to grow up with the country)—"Rather pretty place! Contains all the modern improvements, does it?" Agent—"Yes, sircs. Which will you look at first, the cyclone cave or the earthquake cellar?"—N. Y. Weekly.

HOUSEHOLD BREVITIES.

—When cooking onions set a tin of vinegar on the stove, let it boil, and you will have no disagreeable smell.

—Crystal globes in colored or cut glass filled with long-stemmed roses are lovely decorations for the luncheon table. The globes come in ruby, sapphire and emerald tints, and usually rest on a mirror plaque.

—Codfish croquettes.—Take equal parts of picked-up codfish (freshened in water) and fresh mashed potatoes; season with pepper, dip in egg, and roll in fine cracker meal and fry like oysters making them in any shape preferred.

—In oyster stew or any thing where one wishes to use the liquor let it come to a boil so as to take off the scum. Never boil oysters, as it toughens them, simply let them come to a boiling point. It should simply boil around the edges.

—Sweetbread Sauce.—Remove the tough skin from the sweetbreads and let stand in cold water twenty minutes. Cut in halves, then in quarters and season with salt and pepper, boil till tender and put a tablespoonful each of butter and flour in a frying pan and when hot put in the sweetbreads, stir until a light brown, which will take about ten minutes.—Yankee Blade.

—An experienced housekeeper says the best water tank is a stone jar—one of five or six gallons. This will not rust, and is not affected by change of temperature. Ice will dissolve in it without hurting it, and water will stand in it, as it is changed, for years without rusting it. Besides, clear, fresh water will keep cool, in a closet or other shady place, in a stone jar better than in any other position.

—Crackling Pone.—This is a Southern recipe: For a small pone take one quart of corn meal scalded with as much boiling water as it will absorb, and allow it to cool until the hand can be used to mix into it one cupful of well-salted "cracklings" or scraps left from trying out lard. Wet the hands in cold water and pat the pone into a cake an inch thick on a pan. Bake in the oven.—New England Farmer.

—Jellied Chicken.—Boil the chicken till the meat falls from the bone, in as little water as possible; take it out and let it cool; chop and season with salt and pepper, then put it in a mold with a layer of hard-boiled eggs, either chopped or sliced; boil the water in which the meat was cooked until it is half boiled away, add a tablespoonful of gelatine, and when it is dissolved pour over the meat; this will be ready to use the next day after it is prepared; the eggs may be omitted if desired.—Detroit Free Press.

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